agency to the Commission to assist the Commission in carrying out its duties under this chapter

(Pub. L. 99–570, title VIII, §8006, Oct. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 3207–163.)

## § 1306. Powers of Commission

#### (a) Hearings and sessions

The Commission may, for the purpose of carrying out this chapter, hold such hearings, sit and act at such times and places, take such testimony, and receive such evidence, as the Commission considers appropriate.

## (b) Obtaining official data

Upon the request of the Moderator of the Commission, the Commission may secure directly from any department or agency of the United States information necessary to enable it to carry out this chapter.

#### (c) Gifts

The Commission may accept, use, and dispose of gifts or donations of services or property.

## (d) Mails

The Commission may use the United States mails in the same manner and under the same conditions as other departments and agencies of the United States.

## (e) Administrative support services

The Administrator of General Services shall provide to the Commission on a reimbursable basis such administrative support services as the Commission may request.

(Pub. L. 99–570, title VIII, §8007, Oct. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 3207–163.)

## § 1307. Report

The Commission shall transmit to the President and to each House of Congress a report not later than July 31 of each year which contains a detailed statement of the activities of the Commission during the preceding year, including a summary of the number of public service announcements produced by the Commission and published or broadcast.

(Pub. L. 99–570, title VIII, §8008, Oct. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 3207–163.)

## § 1308. Termination

The Commission shall terminate on a date which is three years after the date on which members of the Commission are first appointed, unless the President, by Executive order, extends the authority of the Commission.

(Pub. L. 99–570, title VIII, §8009, Oct. 27, 1986, 100 Stat. 3207–163.)

# CHAPTER 19—PESTICIDE MONITORING IMPROVEMENTS

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## § 1401. Pesticide monitoring and enforcement information

## (a) Data management systems

- (1) Not later than 480 days after August 23, 1988, the Secretary of Health and Human Services shall place in effect computerized data management systems for the Food and Drug Administration under which the Administration will—
  - (A) record, summarize, and evaluate the results of its program for monitoring food products for pesticide residues,
  - (B) identify gaps in its pesticide monitoring program in the monitoring of (i) pesticides, (ii) food products, and (iii) food from specific countries and from domestic sources,
  - (C) detect trends in the presence of pesticide residues in food products and identify public health problems emerging from the occurrence of pesticide residues in food products,
  - (D) focus its testing resources for monitoring pesticide residues in food on detecting those residues which pose a public health concern.
  - (E) prepare summaries of the information listed in subsection (b) of this section, and
  - (F) provide information to assist the Environmental Protection Agency in carrying out its responsibilities under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act [7 U.S.C. 136 et seq.] and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act [21 U.S.C. 301 et seq.].
- (2) As soon as practicable, the Secretary of Health and Human Services shall develop a means to enable the computerized data management systems placed into effect under paragraph (1) to make the summary described in subsection (c) of this section.
- (3)(A) Paragraph (1) does not limit the authority of the Food and Drug Administration to—
- (i) use the computerized data management systems placed in effect under paragraph (1),
- (ii) develop additional data management systems

to facilitate the regulation of any substance or product covered under the requirements of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act [21 U.S.C. 301 et seq.].

(B) In placing into effect the computerized data management systems under paragraph (1) and in carrying out paragraph (2), the Secretary shall comply with applicable regulations governing computer system design and procurement.

## (b) Information

The Food and Drug Administration shall use the computerized data management systems placed into effect under subsection (a)(1) of this section to prepare a summary of—

(1) information on—

(A) the types of imported and domestically produced food products analyzed for compliance with the requirements of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act [21 U.S.C. 301]